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*Whereas, Jeff and Andrea Mitzner, an Indiana farm couple, were announced as the winners of this national award on January 10, 2005 during the Young Farmer awards program at the American Farm Bureau Federation convention in Charlotte, North Carolina;*

*Whereas, This award is one of the most prestigious awards presented by the American Farm Bureau Federation;*

*Whereas, Jeff and Andrea Mitzner were selected from a field of 33 state winners from across the country;*

*Whereas, Jeff and Andrea Mitzner qualified for the national competition by first winning the Indiana Young Farmer Achievement Award during the Indiana Farm Bureau's state convention on December 18, 2004;*

*Whereas, The Young Farmer Achievement Award recognizes young Farm Bureau members whose farm management techniques and commitment to their community set a positive example for those involved in production agriculture;*

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*Whereas, Jeff and Andrea Mitzner are considered outstanding participants by the American Farm Bureau Federation in agricultural operation growth, financial progress, and leadership within and outside of Farm Bureau;*

*Whereas, Jeff and Andrea Mitzner are known for being a team both on and off their grain farm in northwest Indiana;*

*Whereas, Unlike many farmers, Jeff and Andrea Mitzner started their operation on their own without inheriting any land or equipment;*

*Whereas, Jeff and Andrea Mitzner are tremendous assets to their community and to the State of Indiana as evidenced by their diligence and accomplishment in receiving this award; and,*

*Whereas, According to the American Farm Bureau Federation, the Young Farmer Achievement Award recognizes Jeff and Andrea Mitzner as young farmers and ranchers who have excelled in their farm operations and have exhibited superior leadership abilities: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the House of Representatives of the General Assembly do honor Jeff and Andrea Mitzner as recipients of this year's national American Farm Bureau Federation Young Farmer & Rancher Achievement Award.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Jeff and Andrea Mitzner.

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